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ARSENAL
YEN BAI, NORTH VIETNAM
2146N 10451E

1. [Redacted] REVEALS AN INSTALLATION

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PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED AS YEN BAI NON-FERROUS METALS PLANT GIUA LANG

[Redacted] ON THE BASIS OF LOW-LEVEL, EXCELLENT QUALITY PHOTOGRAPHY
THIS INSTALLATION IS REDEFINED AS AN ARSENAL, PROBABLY INVOLVED WITH SHELL
LOADING AND CASING MANUFACTURE. THE ARSENAL IS LOCATED 4.5 NM NORTH-
NORTHWEST OF YEN BAI. FACILITIES CONSIST OF A SECURED AREA CONTAINING A
TOTAL OF TWENTY-FIVE BUILDINGS INCLUDING ONE PROBABLE FURNACE BUILDING
WITH SMOKESTACK, ONE MONITOR-ROOF FABRICATION BUILDING, ONE PACKAGING
BUILDING, TWO SMALL, REVETTED, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE BUILDINGS, AND ONE
POSSIBLE ACID STORAGE BUILDING. STACKS AND VENTS ARE OBSERVED ON MANY OF
THE OTHER BUILDINGS IN THE SECURED AREA. A HOUSING AREA IS OBSERVED ON
THE EAST SIDE OF THE INSTALLATION. SIX OCCUPIED LIGHT AAA SITES AND SIX
OCCUPIED HEAVY MACHINE GUN AA SITES ARE OBSERVED AROUND THE FACILITY (SOME
NOT SHOWN ON GRAPHIC).

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